

# MEMORANDUM

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SUBJECT: ABCOR Short List Alternatives

At the last Citizen's Advisory Committee (CAC) and Project Steering Committee (PSC) meetings, the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities (DOT&PF) and USKH presented seven concepts for the Auke Bay Corridor (ABCOR) study. Based on your comments and the Department's review, we have selected three alternatives to be advanced for further analysis and design. We have selected three alternatives that represent the range of possible solutions not necessarily ones that show any preference by the Department, the CAC or the PSC. USKH is currently working on refining the preliminary engineering for these alternatives. Presently, the traffic signal and roundabout locations are shown only for illustration. Both signals and roundabouts are being studied for the Fritz Cove and Backloop intersections.

USKH will present their design work at the next CAC and PSC meetings. The CAC and PSC meetings are scheduled for August 7, 2003 and August 8, 2003, respectively. After gathering all of your comments, the Department will choose one of these three alternatives to become our preferred alternative. We could also decide to pursue a hybrid alternative, incorporating ideas from the other alternatives. USKH and the Department will finish the ABCOR study and present the preferred alternative to the public on September 16, 2003.

Please call me if you have any questions at 465-4493.

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